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LETTER

The Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

With regard to the Amendment filed October 23, 2000 for the above-referenced case, please be advised that we inadvertently omitted the Request for Extension of Time form. The required one month extension of time should nevertheless be effected in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136 since authorization for charging our deposit account is provided in the Amendment Transmittal Letter. The \$110.00 fee for a one month extension should therefore be deducted from Deposit Account No. 20-0339, as indicated on the Amendment Transmittal Letter.

Dated: October 24, 2000

Respectfully submitted,

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